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"DYKING DEBENTURE ACT, 1897."

Copy of a Report of the Honourable the Executive Council, approved by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor on the 6th day of November, 1897.

ON A MEMORANDUM from the Honourable the Minister of Finance, dated the 6th day of November, 1897, reporting that in pursuance of clause (c) of the Rules and Regulations for carrying out the provisions of the "Dyking Debenture Act, 1897," he is now in a position to report in regard to certain of the Districts, but that negotiations are still pending in regard to others, and that it is advisable to extend the time within which such report may be made, and to make some further amendments to the said Rules and Regulations; and recommending that the same, as first published in the British Columbia Gazette on the 9th September, 1897, be now amended in manner following, viz.:—

By extending the time limited by clause (c) of the said Regulations as the period within which the Finance Minister shall make his final report for a further period of two months:

By providing that the Finance Minister may from time to time before the expiration of that period make interim reports in respect of one or more districts, and any such report shall, so far as the district or districts therein referred to is concerned, be treated as a final report, and if deemed advisable the further paragraphs of said Regulations mentioned in clause (a) thereof may be directed to apply to the said district and all consequential steps and proceedings taken and had.

The Committee of Council advise approval.

JAMES BAKER,

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Clerk, Executive Council.

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